



Proclamation

Presented

In Recognition of the 95th Anniversary of St. Anthony's Catholic Church

WHEREAS, St. Anthony's Catholic Church a parish in the West Honolulu Vicariate Forane of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Honolulu started as a wooden edifice that was built in 1916 for Catholic plantation workers that converged in the Kalihi Kai area; and

WHEREAS, St. Anthony's Catholic Church added a school to its church in 1928, to accommodate the education needs of the parishioners in the area; and

WHEREAS, St. Anthony's Catholic Church was renovated in 1967, replacing the wooden edifice with a concrete domed structure, allowing St. Anthony's Catholic Church to expand its parish attendance and school enrollment; and

WHEREAS, St. Anthony's Catholic Church draws around 1,500 individuals each Sunday; three masses are for English-speaking parishioners; one mass is designated for Ilocano and Visayan-speaking parishioners; and

WHEREAS, St. Anthony's Catholic Church will be celebrating its 95th Anniversary on June 11, 2011, with the theme "Love, Service and Gratitude," which encompasses values that serve as the impetus behind its mission of bringing the love to God to our communities;

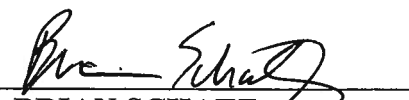
THEREFORE, I, NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, and I, BRIAN SCHATZ, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim June 11, 2011 as

"ST. ANTHONY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH DAY"

in Hawai'i and urge the people of the Aloha State to join us in commending St. Anthony's Catholic Church for nearly a century of perseverance in prayer and extend our best wishes for their continued success in the future.

DONE at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this ninth day of May, 2011.


NEIL ABERCROMBIE
Governor, State of Hawai'i


BRIAN SCHATZ
Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i